

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 2323 - SB 2638

February 8, 2022

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes a private citizen to threaten to use deadly force in making an arrest.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 39-11-622(d), an individual is immune from civil liability if the threatened use of force was justified and permitted under the following circumstances:
 - Self-defense;
 - Defense of a third person;
 - Protection of life or health; or
 - Protection of property.
- There will not be a sufficient change in the number of prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant change in revenue or expenditures.
- Any impact to the court system as a result of the proposed legislation is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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